they intend to do so, the extact dates when the works will be started?

Mr. V. K. Aravindaksha Menon.—(a) A list is appended (*Appendix IV.*)

(b) No.

Mr. K. M. Ibrahim.—Whether the Government have any idea to start the works in future?

Mr. V. K. Aravindaksha Menon.— That question will be considered at the time of the preparation of the budget for 1108.

Mr. K. M. Ibrahim.—Now you can give no idea of it.

Mr. V. K. Aravindaksha Menon.—No.

Pattadars—Cranganur.

239. Mr. K. M. Ibrahim.—Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) the number of Pattadars year to year from 1921 to 1931 in the villages of Azhikode and Eriyad of Cranganur Taluk;

(b) is (a) typical of the whole State;

(c) what the Government have been doing to counteract the concentration of land in the hands of a few;

(d) what the Government intend to do in future to check the evil, indicated in (c);

(e) what alternative proposals the Government entertain to overcome the social disease in (c)?

Rao Sahib Mr. T. V. Kasturi Ranga Ayyar.—(a) year-wise No. of pattadars.

Village.	Azhikode.	Eriyad.
1921	457	579
1922	457	579
1923	457	590
1924	457	608
1925	457	615
1926	457	619
1927	457	619
1928	350	626
1929	350	632
1930	350	635
1931	350	639

(b) No.

(c) Nothing.

(d) and (e) No intention to do anything.

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Mr. K. M. Ibrahim.—(b) May I know the difference. ?

Rao Sahib Mr. T. V. Kasturi Ranga Ayyar.—The answer is there.

Mr. K. M. Ibrahim.—May I know the difference between this type and the type in the whole State ?

Rao Sahib Mr. T. V. Kasturi Ranga Ayyar.—It is not a supplementary question.

Mr. K. M. Ibrahim.—I want a ruling from the Chair.

Deputy President.—That is a supplementary question.

Rao Sahib Mr. T. V. Kasturi Ranga Ayyar.—The Member may refer to the Jamabundy reports.

Mr. K. M. Ibrahim.—(c) Will they be doing anything in future ?

Rao Sahib Mr. T. V. Kasturi Ranga Ayyar.—At present they have no idea to do anything in the future.

Mr. K. M. Ibrahim.—(d) & (e). Is it not due to the progressive concentration of lands in the hands of a few ?

Deputy President.—It is a matter of opinion, it is not a supplementary question.

Purchase of Timber.

240. Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar.—Will the Gvoernment be pleased to state:—

(1) whether any timber was purchased by the Tramway Engineer from the Forest Department in the Hills, in connection with His Excellency the Viceroy's visit in Thulam 1105. If so, the species and quantity may be stated ;

(2) were these brought to Chalakkudi, if so, how many pairs of trucks were utilised for the transport ;

(3) the cost paid to Forest Department ;

(4) what was done with the timber ?

Mr. K. Ramunni Menon.—(1) No.

(2), (3) and (4). No reply is necessary in view of the answer to sub-division (1).

Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar.—Was any timber purchased by the Tramway Department in Thulam 1105 though not in connection with their Excellencies' visit ?

Mr. K. Ramunni Menon.—Timber was purchased.

Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar.—For what purpose ?

Mr. K. Ramunni Menon.—For some other works in the workshop.

Election—Edavilangu Panchayat.

241. Mr. K. M. Ibrahim.—Will the Government be pleased to state:—

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